

(SRI A. R. BADARINARAYAN)

(b) if so, whether it is found feasible;

(c) whether the Central Government has accorded recognition to the person who invented the device by the award of a patent ?

Sri D. PARAMESHWARAPPA (Deputy Minister for Major Irrigation and Electricity) [On behalf of **SRI VEERENDRA PATIL** (Chief Minister)].—

(a) Government are not aware of any such demonstration.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Does not arise.

Sri A. R. BADRINARAYAN.—I have information that an Assistant Engineer has made a device for the prevention of breaches in dams. Will the Hon. Minister kindly investigate into this matter ?

† **Sri P. PARAMESWARAPPA**.—So far, we have no information whether there is any device for preventing breaches in dams. But we will ascertain things and take necessary steps.

Sri A. R. BADRINARAYAN.—I am aware that a particular engineer has divided it and I am putting this fact before the House so that he may be sent for and the matter considered.

Sri D. PARAMESWARAPPA.—I said in the beginning that the Government is not aware of any such device. If my Hon. friend wants the Government to look into this matter, Government will do so.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ನಾಗಪ್ಪ.—ಈಗ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ತಂದುಕೊಟ್ಟರೆ ತಾವು ಅದನ್ನು ಪರಿಶೀಲಿಸದೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಉತ್ತರ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೀರಲ್ಲ. ಅದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಅದನ್ನು ತರಿಸಿ ನೋಡಿ ಒಂದು ಸಲಹೆಯನ್ನಾದರೂ ಕೊಡಬೇಕಲ್ಲವೇ ?

Sri D. PARAMESWARAPPA.—I categorically stated that there is no information so far before the Government about this device.

Sri I. SOMASHEKARAPPA.—Will the Hon. Minister call upon the Hon. Member to pass on the information he is having ?

Sri D. PARAMESWARAPPA.—He may do if he likes.

Financial position of Kolar Town Municipality

441. **P. VENKATAGIRIYAPPA** (Kolar).—

Will the Minister of State for Municipal Administration be pleased to state:—

(a) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that serious financial crisis has developed in Kolar Town Municipality ;

† Indicates that the remarks or speeches have not been revised by the member concerned.